

# CONNECTICUT ENVIRONMENTAL LABORATORY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

## MEETING MINUTES

May 21, 2012

<b>Attendees:</b> Dermot Jones	Dept. of Public Health
Phil Schlossberg	Dept. of Public Health
Barbara Obert	Baron Consulting
Kim Maloney	Town of Wallingford
Bert Geuser	Analytical Consulting Tech
Peter Frick	TestAmerica
Greg Lawrence	Phoenix Laboratories
Kathy Shaw	Conestoga-Rovers

### **Administrative:**

1. The meeting was called to order at 9:35 AM.
2. Dr. Xie and Kevin Miller will no longer be members of the committee.
3. March minutes are accepted.

### **State Update**

1. Dermot distributed a preliminary draft of ETPH criteria. The reporting limit for ETPH is expected to change from a concentration of 100 ug/L to 250 ug/L which is more reasonable. The reporting limit and the action limit will be the same. The ELCP group is anticipating a letter from DEEP which will announce the change.
2. EPH and VPH limits are postponed for the RSRs.
3. Dermot's circular letter with correct storm water analysis regulation information is posted on the EPOC website.
4. In the pending RSR update, a partial or full 2008 list may be used. A purpose of the update is to get ETPH criteria into regulations.
5. Radon Collection – Preliminary draft can be found in the “New England States’ Common Sample Collection & Preservation Manual for Drinking Water”. Current procedure was written by the radon program and was edited by ELCP. When complete, entire document will be sent to the labs.
6. An email was sent to the laboratories with a link to the Federal Register’s most recent Methods Update Rule from April 17<sup>th</sup>. Kim will send downloaded MURII files to Barbara, Peter and Kathy.

### **Discussion Topics**

7. RCP Survey – Dermot will send to Peter a list of the current Environmental Laboratory’s valid email addresses.
8. Membership - Peter Frick will prepare a spreadsheet of current members and position categories that they are filling. This will be emailed to committee

members for input. Committee will work on filling positions at the September meeting.

9. 95%UCL Workgroup – Dermot will be attending meeting on 5/22/12 at the DEEP. Agenda includes how 95% UCL is calculated and datasets.

10. Meeting adjourned 11:20am.

Remaining 2012 Scheduled Meeting Dates:

September 17 <sup>th</sup>	Wallingford
November 12 <sup>th</sup>	Wallingford